

In re the Application of:)
 TSUGANE et al.)
 Serial No. 09/759,666)
 Filed: January 13, 2001)
 For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES AND METHODS)
 FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME)

Group Art Unit: 2813

Examiner: Schillinger, L.



Mail Stop Amendment
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Election/Restriction Requirement and Amendment in the above-identified application.

— Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

— A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

X It is believed that no additional fee is required.

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Respectfully submitted,

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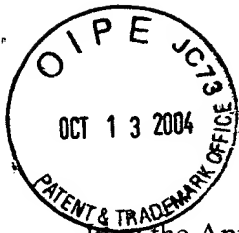
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Dear Sirs:

This paper is filed in response to the paper dated September 7, 2004. Please enter and consider the following.